



## Membership Form

Please fill, sign and mail to:  
**Astrid Martinez, Membership Committee**  
**4016 Norseman Ave., Grand Island, NE 68803**

### Choose Type of Membership

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Lifetime Membership \$500.00<br><input type="checkbox"/> One payment- \$500 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 payments- \$250.00<br><input type="checkbox"/> 4 payments - \$125.00 <input type="checkbox"/> 5 payments- \$ 100.00<br><input type="checkbox"/> 8 payments- \$62.50 <input type="checkbox"/> 10 payments - \$ 50.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> Institutional \$250<br>Any organization which subscribes to the purpose of the Organization is eligible for membership after approved by vote of the voting membership.  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1-Year Membership \$30.00 (Charter)<br>Same as Regular Membership, but only available for founding members of NOPHNCSE.<br><br><input type="checkbox"/> Payroll Deduction <input type="checkbox"/> Check enclosed  | <input type="checkbox"/> Associate \$15.00- Any person who has rendered notable service to the objectives of the Organization may be granted associate membership upon a vote by ballot of three-fourths of the members present and voting at the annual meeting of the Organization. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1-Year Membership \$30.00 (Regular)<br>Any person eligible for regular membership under the constitution shall be deemed a member upon payment of current and annual dues.<br><br><input type="checkbox"/> Payroll Deduction <input type="checkbox"/> Check Enclosed   | <input type="checkbox"/> Student \$10.00 -Student currently enrolled in an institution of higher learning   |

### Personal Information

### \* Required fields

- ☐ Mr.   ☐ Mrs.   ☐ Ms.   ☐ Miss   \*First Name \_\_\_\_\_ \*M.I. \_\_\_\_\_ \*Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
\* Region:   ☐ East      ☐ Midwest   ☐ Caribbean   ☐ Northern Plains   ☐ South Central   ☐ Southeast   ☐ West  
\* Title: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Agency: ☐ NRCS      Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
\* Home address \_\_\_\_\_  
\* City \_\_\_\_\_ \*State \_\_\_\_\_ \* Zip \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
\* Phone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ \* Fax: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_  
\* Home E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ \* Office E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Office Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ **YES**, I would like to be listed in the Network Directory!

Total Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature** \_\_\_\_\_  
Make Check payable to NOPHNCSE

NOPHNCSE Membership Dues are effective for one calendar year (Jan - Dec)  
USDA-NRCS prohibits the use of government franked envelopes and government postage to be used in submitting membership dues and application forms.

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Date Received \_\_\_\_\_ Check# \_\_\_\_\_ Payroll \_\_\_\_\_



## Membership Benefits

### Why become a NOPHNRCSE Member?

- Offer employees opportunity to built relationship with leaders in the agency.
- Offer employees the ability to develop mentorship's.
- Develops a sense of unity and pride in who we are.
- Gives Hispanic Leadership a sense of purpose-Help others help themselves.
- The conference provides us with the opportunity to develop skills in public speaking.
- The conference provides us with the opportunity to learn and develop good skills as moderators and presenters.
- Opportunity to develop skills to effectively work as a team member.
- Learn and develop supervisory skills by leading and coordinating the work of different committees or by leading a committee.
- Develop skills to negotiate when trying to recruit speakers for the annual conference. Negotiate work required, cost and payment process.
- Develop a network of technical peers and friends across the nation.
- Learn more about the Hispanic culture by interacting with different cultural background such as Mexicans, Puerto Ricans, Cuban, and more. The Hispanic culture is very diverse.
- Learn the country by attending the annual conference that is held in different states.
- Meet the leaders in the agency, this provides us with an avenue to introduce ourselves and let them know our career goals.
- Showcase our members for the benefit of the leaders looking for good qualify employees.
- The leadership can get to know the Hispanics and our abilities for future job opportunities.
- The members can help the agency in the recruitment effort of qualify Hispanics.
- The organization can help the leadership meeting the Hispanic leaders in different communities.
- The organization can help the leadership identify and remove possible barriers in the Hispanic communities to ensure the equal delivery of programs.
- Gives us the opportunity to network.
- Annual Training Conference gives us the opportunity for training.
- Thru the organization you can express your viewpoints.
- Help to educate NRCS on the Hispanic culture.
- Learn about other positions within NRCS.
- Add to your career profile.

### Lifetime Membership benefits:

- Life membership dues are not subject to increase.
- Life memberships can decrease administrative expenditures.
- Life memberships increase revenues.
- A life membership provides peace-of-mind in that dues are current and saves money for the member.
- A life membership provides opportunity to promote the organization, increase stature, and for grassroots educational and outreach programs.
- A life membership provides a springboard for a separate entity within the organization to manage and administer these financial gains.
- A life membership offers a great degree of prestige and identifies you as an individual apart from the regular membership.
- A Life membership could generate income if it "raffle-off" occasionally as part of our regular membership drive or during "scholarship night".